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BY FACSIMILE

Hon. Kimba M. Wood United States District Judge 500 Pearl Street, Rm. 1910 New York, NY 10007

RE: United States v. Mir Islam 12 Cr. 810 (KMW)

MEMO ENDORSED

Dear Judge Wood,

A pretrial conference is scheduled in the above-entitled case for Tuesday, January 22, 2013, at 11:00 a.m. Government and the defendant are working on finalizing an agreement under which we anticipate a pretrial resolution of the pending charges. The process had been delayed as the result of related discussions between the United States Attorney's Office and the New York County District Attorney's Office, which were recently concluded. The Government respectfully requests, on consent of the defendant, an adjournment of approximately three weeks, to allow the parties to finalize a disposition of the charges in this case. Granted Government understands that the Court is available on Thursday, February 14, 2013 at 2:00 p.m., and respectfully requests that the next pretrial conference be scheduled for that date and time.

Further, on behalf of the Government, I respectfully request that time be excluded under the Speedy Trial Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A), through February 14, 2013, the date of the next pretrial conference scheduled in the above-captioned The exclusion of time will allow the continuation discussions regarding a potential pretrial resolution of the charges in this case. The Government has consulted with David Gordon, Esq., counsel for the defendant, who consents to the

exclusion of time on behalf of his client. A proposed order is enclosed for the Court's consideration.

Respectfully yours,

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SO ORDERED: N.Y., N.Y.

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